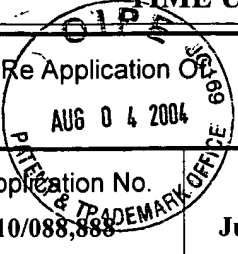


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In Re Application Of **Paul Eirich et al.**

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Invention: **METHOD FOR CONDITIONING FOUNDRY MOULDING SAND AND A DEVICE THEREFOR**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **April 1, 2004** in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- ☒ One month
 ☐ Two months
 ☐ Three months
 ☐ Four months
 ☐ Five months

from: **July 1, 2004** until: **August 1, 2004**
Date Date

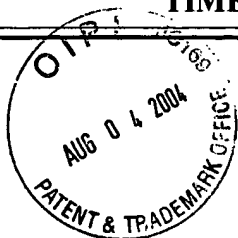
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| TOTAL CLAIMS | 22 - | 23 = | 0 | x \$18.00 | \$0.00 |
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| FEE FOR AMENDMENT | | | | | \$0.00 |
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- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$110.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of **\$110.00**
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **50-0822**
 - ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
 - ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-0822**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael L. Dunn".

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